

Abstract of the Disclosure

- A monoclonal antibody or fragment thereof, wherein at least the hypervariable region is from a monoclonal antibody having an affinity of at least  $10^{11}$  1/mol, and at least the constant region (or, if no constant region, the variable region) is derived from human immunoglobulin.
- 5 The high-affinity monoclonal is from sheep or another mammal that gives higher affinity than a rodent.